

Appendix A

Beneficial Use Impairments (BUIs) for Wisconsin Areas of Concerns (AOCs):

Beneficial Use Impairment (BUI)	St. Louis R. Estuary	Menominee River	Lower Green Bay and Fox R.	Sheboygan River	Milwaukee Estuary
Restrictions on Fish and Wildlife Consumption	P* A	P A	P	P	P
Tainted Fish - Wildlife Flavor	S	A	S	A	A
Degraded Fish and Wildlife Populations	P	P A	P	P	P
Fish Tumors or Other Deformities	P	A	S	P	P
Bird or Animal Deformities or Reproductive Problems	S	A	P	P	P
Degradation of Benthos	P	P	P	P	P
Restrictions on Dredging Activities	P	P	P	P	P
Eutrophication or Undesirable Algae	A	A	P	P	P
Restrictions on Drinking Water or Taste/Odor Problems	A	A	P	A	A
Beach Closings/Recreational Restrictions	P	P	P	A	P
Degradation of Aesthetics	P	A	P	A	P
Added Costs to Agriculture or Industry	A	A	A	A	A
Phytoplankton / Zooplankton Populations Degraded	A	A	P	P	P
Loss of Fish and Wildlife Habitat	P	P	P	P	P
* Key to Impairment Status: P = Present S = Suspected A = Absent (2 letters, where fish and wildlife differently impaired)					

Table 1